

ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES
October 18-20, 2016
Work Session
Agenda Change Request Index of Comments

This index of on-time advisory committee and public comments shows either SUPPORT or OPPOSITION for the individual ACRs at this meeting. The center column indicates a comment was made but without a clear indication of support or opposition. The reference number (ACxx or PCxx) refers to the Advisory Committee comment number or Public Comment number. The full comment as submitted can be found in the Advisory Committee tab or Public Comment tab of the board book (Record Copy 1). The notation of "S/A" indicates support as amended.

		SUPPORT	GENERAL COMMENT	OPPOSITION
Statewide Sport Fishing Guide Licensing and Reporting (1)				
ACR 1	Align regulations for sport fishing services and sport fishing guide services in salt water with those in statute and update fresh water guide registration and reporting regulations (5 AAC 75.075, 5 AAC 75.076, 5 AAC 75.077, and 5 AAC 75.085).			
Unalaska Bay Sport and Subsistence Salmon Fisheries (2)				
ACR 2	Increase the duration of the 250 yard sport fish closure around the mouth of the Summer Bay Lake outlet stream, decrease the sockeye salmon bag limit from two per day to one per day, and establish these same restrictions around the mouth of Morris Cove Lake outlet stream (5 AAC 65.020 and 5 AAC 65.051).			

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ACR 3	Decrease the number of sockeye salmon that may be retained in the subsistence salmon fishery on Front Beach in the Unalaska Bay District to no more than 10 fish (5 AAC 01.380).			
South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June Salmon Management Plan (1)				
ACR 4	Reduce fishing time allowed under the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June Salmon Management Plan, to reduce commercial king salmon harvest to historical levels (5 AAC 09.365).			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Aleutians East Borough PC 1 ● Concerned Area M Fishermen PC 17
Dutch Harbor Food and Bait Herring Commercial Fishery (1)				
ACR 5	Change the opening date for seine gear in the Dutch Harbor Food and Bait Herring Fishery from July 15 to July 1 (5 AAC 27.610).			
Kenai River Personal Use Salmon Fishery (1)				
ACR 6	Create vessel restrictions for the Kenai River personal use dipnet fishery (5 AAC 77.540).			
Cook Inlet Drift Gillnet Specifications (1)				
ACR 7	Remove 45-mesh depth restriction for drift gillnets in the Upper Cook Inlet commercial salmon fishery (5 AAC 21.331).			
Aleutian Islands Golden King Crab Commercial Fishery (1)				

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ACR 8	Change Aleutian Islands golden king crab fishery season closure date from May 1 to May 15 (5 AAC 34.610).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gold King Crab Coalition PC 50 		
Southeast Alaska Commercial Herring Fishery (1)				
ACR 9	Determine regulatory responsibility for allowing a new harvesting method in the Sitka Sound sac roe herring fishery.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ryan Kapp PC 30 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Southeast Alaska Fishermen's Alliance PC 43
Southern Southeast Inside Subdistrict Sablefish Commercial Fishery (1)				
ACR 10	Allow holders of Southern Southeast Inside Subdistrict sablefish fishery Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission limited entry longline permits to use pot gear and reopen the season for longline gear after September 25 (5 AAC 28.110, 5 AAC 28.130).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bill Connor PC 4 • Petersburg Vessel Owner's Association PC 22 • Ron Olson PC 46 		
Kendrick Bay Terminal Harvest Area Salmon Management Plan (1)				
ACR 11	Amend the Kendrick Bay Terminal Harvest Area Salmon Management Plan to reduce harvest of local sockeye salmon stocks (5 AAC 33.377).			

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Yukon River Subsistence Salmon Fishery (1)				
ACR 12	Provide emergency order authority to allow retention of king salmon from dip net and beach seine gear when subsistence fishing is restricted during times of king salmon conservation (5 AAC 01.220).			